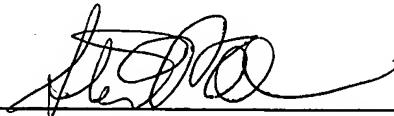


REMARKS

Claims 1-3 and 10 have been amended in order to improve the grammatical and idiomatic expression and eliminate multiple dependency in claim 10. New claims 11-18 have been added to retain the dependencies canceled from claim 10. The specification has been amended editorially by way of a Substitute Specification for improved clarity, including correction of grammatical errors and nonidiomatic expression. The Abstract of the Disclosure has been replaced by a new Abstract in accordance with applicable requirements. No new matter has been added in the new specification, claims or abstract. Entry of the amendments and examination of the amended application respectfully are requested. Please enter the amendments before calculating the filing fee.

Respectfully submitted,

December 29, 2005
Date



Steven M. Rabin (Reg. No. 29,102)
RABIN & BERDO, P.C.
CUSTOMER NO. 23995
(202) 371-8976
(202) 408-0924 fax

SMR/tl